

November 2, 2025

Commands of Jesus
Rejoice
Matthew 5:10-12
Sermon Discussion Questions

Please take a few minutes after the service today to discuss together the following questions with whom you are gathered.

1. What reason(s) do you have to rejoice in your life?
2. When you experience hardship in your life, what is your typical response to your circumstances?
3. Have you ever experienced some form of persecution for your faith in Jesus Christ? If yes, how did that experience impact/effect you? What did that experience make you want to do in response?
4. Does Jesus' command to rejoice when persecuted surprise you?
5. What compels—enables—us to respond with exceeding joy when we suffer for our faith?
6. How does suffering for Jesus benefit you as a follower of Jesus?